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One Cent

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF \$25,000 FOR CHARLEROI

Chairman Bartholdt Gives
Out Amount For Dif-
ferent Cities.

WILL NOW HAVE \$75,000

Suitable Local Site Will Take
Over a Fourth Of
money.

Charleroi received an additional appropriation of \$25,000 for the government building, the amount being announced immediately after the passage of the currency bill by the U. S. Congress yesterday, by Chairman Bartholdt of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. He reported the omnibus public building bill carrying allowances for constructions and sites amounting to \$25,000,000. The plan of the House leaders was to pass the bill with the separate items today after only a nominal amount of debate.

At the former appropriation Charleroi secured the sum of \$50,000, although the sought for amount was \$125,000. This was not enough to buy a site and erect a building, so another appropriation of \$60,000 was asked for with the above given result. Senator P. C. Knox presented the latter bill to Congress and worked hard for its passage.

The \$25,000 added appropriation will make the present amount \$75,000. Of this it would take perhaps

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MEETINGS GROW MORE AND MORE INTERESTING

The meetings at St. Jerome's church are nightly growing more and more interesting. There have been twenty-three converts, who will be baptized Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock by Father Quinn. On Sunday afternoon Bishop Canevin will administer the sacrament of confirmation to a class of three hundred and fifty children and adults.

Father Quinn spoke last night on "The Bible as a Rule of Faith." He said a rule of faith is necessary because itself is necessary. "Without faith it is impossible to please God," says St. Paul. And our Blessed Saviour says: "He that believeth not shall be condemned." Hence it is necessary that God, who will have all men to be saved, and to come to a knowledge of the truth, should provide for all men an easy way of knowing the objects of their faith, i. e. the truths which He has revealed. This is what is understood by a rule of faith. Evidently this rule should possess certain qualities.

The lecturer took up the Non-Catholic rule, namely "The Bible alone interpreted by each individual for himself," and showed that it is not wanting in one or two of these characteristics; but in all of them. Father Curtin will speak Saturday evening, and Father Quinn Sunday evening on important topics.

Coming Next Week.

"Something out of the ordinary" is a remark that can properly be made of the Carl Hagenbeck and Great Wallace Shows Combined, which will exhibit in Charleroi, Thursday May 21.

It has a reputation for producing remarkable surprises in its circus arena until the public has learned that it can attend an exhibition of the Hagenbeck and Great Wallace Circus expecting to see something new and different.

There is an unusual number of features with the Wallace Show this season. It is difficult to pick the best. Some will like the trained wild beasts' exhibition or Horse wonders. Others will prefer Les Rowlands, Borsini Troupe, the Sylvester Sisters, the three Correllis, the Delno Troupe, while some will spend most of the time laughing at the host of clowns, listening to Merrick's famous band, join the races, admiring the animals or petting the beautiful horses. No matter which way one looks while under any one of the Hagenbeck and Wallace tents, he is sure to see something out of the ordinary.

More Coal Developments.

That the development of the Greene county coal in the section of Charleroi will begin soon is made evident by the contract for a branch road to S. M. Green, extending from the mouth of Ten Mile creek to a point near the Bessemer coal works on the opposite side of the river. The Pittsburgh-Buffalo company owns a large acreage in that section and it is said this branch line section is being pushed by it in order to develop its holdings. The road will connect with the P. V. and C. railroad which recently completed its extension to Millsboro.

SOCIAL EVENTS INTERESTING TO LOCAL PEOPLE

A pleasant surprise was tendered Robert McGowan at his home in North Charleroi, last night by a number of his fellow students at Douglas Business college and friends from High school. The evening was spent in a social way, games and music being the diversions. Light refreshments were served.

The affair was carefully planned by the committee in charge. They fully completed the arrangements and in the evening sent for him to come to Charleroi, which he did. In the meantime the guests gathered at his home and upon the young man's return greeted him with a cry of "surprise." But for a moment overwhelmed, Mr. McGowan rallied and provided entertainment for his guests throughout the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William McMahon were hosts last evening to a merry party of twenty-five, mostly Monessenites, who enjoyed games and the old-fashioned dance and last but not least a most delightful lunch.

Extra Meeting.

An extra meeting of the Washington County Medical society has been called for Tuesday afternoon, May 19, at 1 o'clock. It is likely that several Charleroi physicians will attend.

ALLEGED HORSE THIEF APPEARS BEFORE JUSTICE

Young Fellow Who Is accused
Of Stealing Animal Waves
Hearing.

RICHARDSON RETURNS

W. R. Rider, of Union township, who is charged with stealing of a horse from the stables of L. B. Richardson, of Bentleyville, was brought before Justice of the Peace E. N. Dunlap at Washington yesterday and waived a hearing for court. Immediately after he waived the hearing he was arrested for carrying concealed weapons and impersonating an officer. When he was arrested Monday he had on his person a revolver and a detective's badge.

Justice Dunlap placed the bail at \$800 and turned the matter over to the district attorney. Rider's father and a number of friends were in Washington yesterday and were arranging to have the boy released on bail.

Mr. Richardson returned from near Steubenville at 4 o'clock yesterday morning with the horse, which had been stolen. It was with much difficulty that the animal was secured, as the persons in whose possession it was had planned things well to receive a reward from Mr. Richardson. Harry Swearingner had the animal in his possession, but upon word from Pittsburgh to return the horse as it was stolen property, had taken it several miles in the country to his farm.

After some delay Mr. Swearingner stated that he could find the horse for \$25. Mr. Richardson at once tendered him a check and the horse was then produced. Payment was stopped on the check after the horse had been received.

The private prosecutor against Rider was W. H. Riggall of Charleroi.

GIVE PERFORMANCE AT DONORA

John Jenkins' Juvenile Minstrels gave a performance at the Star Theatre, Donora, Wednesday night, which took well. The program was almost the same in the first part as that given in Charleroi in April. The olio was different including acts by John Jenkins, Little Bennie Jones, Longdon, Jenkins and Longdon and the cake walk by the company.

The end boys were Mack Jameson, Cardon Jameson, Frank Ailes, Frank Michener, Fred Schenck and Paul Nutt. The chorus was John Gaut, Duncan Berryman, Ira Ransom, Bennie Jones, Don Michener, Albert Schoener, Charles Conway, Ralph Richards, Ban Roberts and Earl Ransom.

Two Injured by Wire.

Joe Shutis, aged 42, a Slav, and John Kovick, aged 40, a Slav, and married, were taken to the Memorial hospital last night suffering from injuries sustained by being hit by a wire in the wire department of the American Steel and Wire plant at Donora.

FOUND GUILTY OF BREAK- ING INTO A P. R. R. CAR

Daniel Gould charged with breaking into a railroad car at Monongahela on April 23 faced the jury yesterday at Washington. The car contained supplies for the West Penn Electric company. The court appointed John W. McDowell as counsel for Gould. Policeman Bergman was the main witness for the prosecution. He testified that he heard a noise seemingly coming from the box car and on investigation discovered a man crawling into the car, whom he positively identified as Gould. He placed him under arrest and was walking up the track with him when a third party threw a glass insulator at the officer, striking him on the breast and knocking him to the ground. Gould took the stand in his own behalf and

ONE HIT AND ONE RUN FOR MILL TOWN BOYS

Humphries Invincible and
Should Have Had a
Shutout.

ERROR GAVE THE RUN

It seemed like a shame to treat the Scottsdale boys so rudely but the locals just couldn't help taking yesterday's contest in such easy fashion. They had made no previous request for the game but when it developed that their opponents refused to hit there was nothing else to do. The cause of the Mill town boys defeat is blamed on one Mr. Humphries who did the twirling for Charleroi. He took charge of the game in the very beginning and kept it hid at all times. But on hit was handed out and that was drawn by Smith in the seventh inning. Drawn is the correct definition for Smith had no idea of getting it, reaching a foot over the plate and hitting a wild pitch. One run was handed the Scottsdale boys, the first they have seen in three days, and it was all wrapped up in silk and well perfumed. Floto looked them over in the fourth for a free walk. Red Schmidt was willing to sacrifice his life in order to advance Floto, but Daily didn't see it that way and when "Red" laid one down he threw to the right field fence, and Floto went all the way round.

Charleroi's first mark was in the first round and came pretty easy on a two base drive, an infield out and an error. In the third a home run, a base on balls, a sacrifice and single counted twice. We were given one in the fifth when Humphries singled. Elliott walked, Houser sacrificed and Cosgrove and Dailey drew passes forcing Humphries over. Score:

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EDITOR SUICIDES; ILL-HEALTH CAUSE

Uniontown, Pa., May 14.—O. J. Sturgis, aged 58 years, died at 8:15 o'clock this morning at his home here from self-inflicted injuries.

He had been suffering from ill health for the past year or two and recently returned from a prolonged visit to Mt. Clemens, Mich. As he failed to recuperate, he became exceedingly despondent. For the past few weeks he had done but little work. This morning he arose at the usual hour, took his daily walk and returned to his home. When the report of the discharge of the revolver was heard and when a physician was summoned, Mr. Sturgis was found bleeding to death.

Sturgis was one of the oldest newspaper men in this district and was editor of the News-Standard. For 25 years he had been active as a reporter and editor and was one of the best known newspaper men in this part of the state. He was a member of the Baptist church here. Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Harold, and a daughter, Edith.

PRIZES GIVEN BY LOCAL MERCHANTS FOR WINNERS

Sailed for Europe.

James Matthews, of 240 Prospect Place, New York, sailed Wednesday on the Steamer Tuetonic for Paris, for a vacation trip abroad. He was tendered a delightful surprise party Monday evening by a large number of friends, at which he was presented with several tokens of esteem. He is at present credit manager of the National City Bank of New York.

Mr. Matthews is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Matthews, of Ninth street, Charleroi. He was formerly a valley newspaper man, having made many friends while in business in this section, who wish him a pleasant trip abroad. Among the features for Mr. Matthews at the party in his honor was a song and chorus composed by Fred V. Court, being dedicated to the popular banker.

Deeds Left for Record.

April 6, 1908—Marie Cherrie Chauteur, Charleroi, to Amand Collignon et ux., same place, lot in Meadow avenue, Charleroi, consideration, \$1,700.

April 6, 1908—Amand Collignon et ux., Charleroi, to Maria Therese Chauteur, same place, lot in Shady avenue, Charleroi, consideration, \$1,100.

Order Fives and Dimes.

The Y. M. C. A. here and Monessen have closed an order with C. C. Crill for six drums and eight fifes. They expect them to arrive within the next ten days, and the boys expect to be able to make their first time out on Decoration day.

The Boys brigade have ordered their new uniforms.

Julius Robinson, of Winton, will do the musical service for the singing cannon concealed in his clothing.

FINDINGS OF ARBITRATORS ARE REPORTED

Difference between the Pittsburgh Railways company and its motor men and conductors have been settled by the Board of Arbitration by a compromise, although neither side is thoroughly satisfied. The board got around the difficulty of a reduction of 1 cent an hour by agreeing upon a split and making it half a cent an hour.

The representative of the street car men, Calvin Wyatt, would not join in the decision, but Judge Miller and the company's representative, M. K. McMullin, signed the articles of adjustment, which read:

To the Officers of the Pittsburgh Railways company and the Committee of the Pittsburgh Railways company of Conductors' and Motormen's association.

Gentlemen—The majority of arbitrators, after a careful consideration of all the evidence, having especially in view the fact that in the last five months there has been a deficit of \$292,549 in car fares, compared with the five months of the year previous the wages of conductors and motormen were raised two cents per hour one year ago, based on the prosperous condition then existing; that the reduction in the number of cars in present operation, and consequent decrease in the amount of wages paid, does not decrease the expenses of operation in proportion to the deficit; believing

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Quite a Number of Beautiful
Things For Boys In
Field Meet.

DISPLAYED AT MONESSEN

In Pharmacy Window—
Good Judges Are
Chosen.

For the individual winners in the different events in the field meet Saturday afternoon the Merchants and business men of the different towns have contributed prizes. The four leaders in each contest will receive prizes, the first getting the best given for the certain event of which he is winner, second one of less value, and so on down to the fourth boy. There are to be four contestants from each school in a race, thus making sixteen in all. For the 100 yard dash, a ten dollar picture has been given by a Monessen firm. Doctors banks have each given \$5 in gold.

The list of the prizes from Charleroi Merchants follow:

J. W. Berryman and Son, an umbrella, Adolph Beigel, pair of baseball shoes, J. B. Schafer, tie pin, C. W. Weitner, fountain pen, L. Collins, suitcase, L. Beigel, album, G. S. Might, ball glove, W. F. Hennings, fountain pen, Greenberg Bros, hat, J. W. McKean, cuff links, W. A. Bartholdt, pocket watch, The Star, pocket watch.

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SIX CONVERTS AT M. E. CHURCH LAST NIGHT

The meetings at the M. E. church last night was a stirring one, there being six converts. So great was the interest, that at the close, an after meeting was held, at which many signified their desire to lead a Christian life. Evangelist Willis preached one of his stirring sermons on the topic, "To the Uttermost," his text being from Heb. 7:25. "Wherefore also he is able to save to the uttermost them that draw near to God through him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them."

The sermons of Mr. Willis are not stereotyped in any sense of the word but are interesting as popular lectures, and more entertaining than the average lecturer. He started out by saying "The text is the gospel in a nutshell, the gospel boiled down, the gospel in extract, the gospel in its sweetest essence." He lined up his text with John 3:16 and stated there is enough gospel in it to save the world. After giving an interesting exegesis and an outline of his discourse, he enlarged in a very interesting manner upon the ability of Jesus Christ to save a lost world, the extent of the salvation he offers, and provided even unto the uttermost for those and those only who come unto God through Him. He spoke of Christ not only as a present, complete and eternal Savior, but as a royal intercessor for all who commit themselves to his kindly care.

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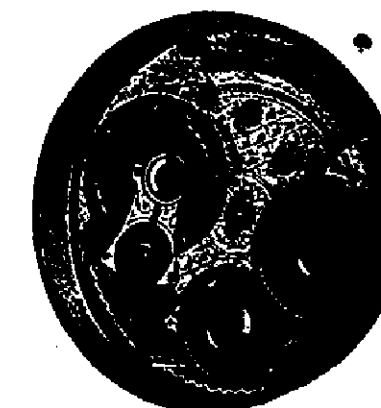
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business locals, notices of meetings,
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sales, live stock and other notices,
bank notices, notices to teachers, 10
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Local Agencies

Geo. S. Micht, Charleroi
Dyde Collins, Speers
H. Dooley, Dunlevy
Gustave Clements, Lock No. 4

May 15 In History.

1773—Alban Butler, au-
thor of the "Lives of
the Saints," died.
1833—Edmund Kean, the
great English trage-
dian, died; born 1787.
1847—Daniel O'Connell,
Irish orator and pa-
triot, died; born 1775.
O'Connell, although familiarly called "the
Liberator," O'Connell had no sym-
pathy with the revolutionary spirit
of his times. He once declared that
he would "accept of no social ame-
lioration at the cost of a single
drop of blood."
1808—Edouard Reményi, noted Hun-
garian violinist, died; born 1830.
1902—Dr. William Tod Helms, noted
American surgeon and homeopa-
thist, died; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:00, rises 4:38; moon rises
6:38 p. m.; 11:24 p. m., full moon;
9:30 p. m., Jupiter's four satellites
closely grouped, two on each side of
the planet.

Still Snaring Suckers.

"Several persons, representing them-
selves to be photographers for Pitts-
burg papers, are in town taking pic-
tures. It is not known what their
game is but there must be something
in the woodpile." They are not what
they pretend to be and there is evi-
dence enough that they are not straight.
Residents are warned to be careful.
—Monongahela Republican

It is more than probable that Monon-
gahela has one or more photographers
within its borders each of whom is a
good citizen, a taxpayer, and a far
better artist than those peripatetics.
The money paid to them for work is
spent among local merchants. The
same is true of Charleroi.

Yet, if a "con" man or any other
kind of an imposter announces him-
self as hailing from some large city and
reels off a spasm of language about a
self-evident swindle, people fall over
themselves to secure the "bargains."

Then when it dawns upon them
a shriek goes up that den- the done
of heaven, and causes a debacle to the
"Squire for redress, which, like the
letter, never comes

"Patronize home people and you
will never be swindled," should be a
motto that be should upon the wall.

Why Unsuccessful.

For full forty years the people of
Pennsylvania and of New York city
have had rehearsed to them each day
a story about the "criminals" and
"rascals" whom they had chosen to
serve them in official life.

In Pennsylvania Cameronism-Qua-
tion and now Penroseism each in turn
has been pilloried as "the sum of all
villanies." In New York city—Hall-
am, Kellyism, Crokerism and now
Murphyism has each in their day been
pictured as representing civic drabol-
ism. In spite of tidal wave after
tidal wave of furious denunciation by
pundit and polemic each was and is
almost invincible and their success
never even seriously questioned, and
why?

Simply because of the methods em-
ployed. Plain, sensible people when

reading these terrific denunciations
were inexpressibly shocked, then in-
quiry and investigation proved them
almost invariably as false and having
been invented by political rivals whose
yearning for the flesh-pots was so
great as to destroy self-restraint.
Disgust and anger followed, as natu-
ral consequences.

When the authors of these attacks
were disappointed at their lack of suc-
cess they turned upon the people.
The people of a whole State were
sometimes pictured as hopelessly ignor-
ant or benighted; at others as a sod-
den, sordid besotted band of bribe-
takers. A favorite pose in which
they were and are limed is that of a
peon or helot, trembling, shrinking,
covering before a political Simon
Legree demanding their birthright or
the swish of a black snake would fol-
low.

It was but natural for the people
to resent this. And they have resent-
ed it and will always resent it.
That, in brief, tells why the cam-
paigns of defamation and denunciation
have left the Democracy in Pennsyl-
vania a hopeless minority and the Re-
publican party in New York city in a
similar situation.

As the Bourbon neither can learn nor
forget it were folly to suppose that
this or the succeeding generation will
see an elimination of these methods.

An Astounding Statement.

A United States Senator, by the
grace of grand larceny of land, Senator
Heyburn, in opposing an appropriation
for forest preservation uttered the
outrageous statement that there is as
much timber now as there ever was.

Carping critics might be peevish
enough to say that judging from the
samples sent to the Senate from that
State senatorial timber chiefly consists
of sage brush and scrub pine.

His statement will evoke derisive
comment from even the middle aged
in Pennsylvania who easily recollect
the vast pine forests which graced
and flourished on our mountains.

It is sometimes alleged that a man
is a fool in extenuation for his acts as
a knave, and such a defense could eas-
ily and effectively be used for Heyburn.

To Our Readers.

The readers of The Mail will find
it highly advantageous to their pocket
books to scan its advertising columns
before purchasing. They will find in
them from day to day bargains that
for price and quality are not surpassed
anywhere.

Before you listen to the lure of the
big city's call look over what our own
merchants are offering and you will
be agreeably astonished at what prices
and quality they offer. Hills look
green far away, but a closer view
off is disappointing. Bargains in big
cities sometimes exhibit the same
characteristics from which there is no
redress, while our local merchants are
always ready, willing and anxious to
rectify any mistake, a thing in itself
forming a big point in their favor.

Obituary.

Mr. O. J. Sturgis, for many years
editor of the Uniontown Standard,
committed suicide while laboring
under a temporary aberration of mind,
caused by prolonged illness, yesterday.
He was not only an able man, he
was more—a good man and a just man.
He had the judicial temperament to a
marked degree and a candid spirit of
truth was a distinguishing trait of his
writings.

As he has passed away let us forget
his untimely end in contemplating his
many noble qualities as a man

Charleroi Gets a Little.

The press dispatches this morning
indicate that Charleroi will receive
\$25,000 of the \$100,000 needed to erect
a federal building. Like Mercutio's
wound, "it is not as deep as a well
nor as wide as barn door," but it will
have to do for the present.

If work could be begun on the
building now it would greatly help
the business situation, but it is not
thought probable that the government
will order the work started until the
full appropriation is secured.

Miss Grace Stewart of Fayette
City has resigned as night operator
for the Charleroi Telephone Co. Miss
Sadie Hopkins has accepted the posi-
tion.

P. & W. Va. League

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Per
Charleroi.....	7	1	.875
Fairmount.....	7	4	.636
Clarksburg.....	6	5	.545
Uniontown.....	4	4	.500
Scottsdale.....	2	6	.250
Connellsville.....	1	7	.125

Yesterday's Results.

Clarksburg.....	5	Connellsville, 2
Charleroi.....	4	Scottsdale, 1
Fairmount.....	4	Uniontown, 1

Games Today

Scottsdale at Charleroi
Uniontown at Fairmount
Connellsville at Clarksburg

Special Sale on Tailor made Suits

\$15.00 Suits for \$10.00
\$20.00 Suits for \$12.00
\$22.50 Suits for \$15.00

Our \$5.00 Skirt
Sale continued
one more week

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in Twilight Borough. One-
half mile from Charle-
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Emerson Oxford
now because Fashion dictates
the wear of the low-cut shoe in
Spring and Summer, and in the
many stylish lasts of the Em-
erson Oxford we have just
that newest style suited to your
particular foot needs.

You ought to wear the
Emerson Oxford because it
combines comfort and style. The
stiff box toe is built sufficiently
high to give room for the foot,
and thus prevent that uncom-
fortable pressure and rubbing
wear to the hosiery found in the
ordinary low cut shoe. The per-
fect cut of the upper leather of the
Emerson permits of no flaring
edge. That is why it is called
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Ask us to prove it before you
buy. We only dare offer to be-
cause we know we can.

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Don't worry your
correspondent.
Don't write him
anything by hand
that takes him time
to make out—then a
may leave him in
doubt—that he can't
easily read.
And don't fill out
legal papers or card
memos—or make out
accounts or hotel men-
us in your own hand-
writing.
It looks bad, reflects on your standing,
makes people think you can't afford a
stenographer, and is sometimes ambiguous.
You can write out your letters—make out
an abstract bill in an insurance policy—
enter your card memos—make out your
accounts or hotel menu—or do any kind
of writing you need, on any kind, size or
thickness of paper, and space any way you
want on

The OLIVER Typewriter

You can write any of these things if you do
not happen to have a stenographer.
For you can easily learn, with a little
practice, to write just as rapidly, and as
perfectly, as an expert operator on the
OLIVER. Because the OLIVER is the
simplest typewriter. And you can see
every word you write. About 80 per cent.
more durable than any other typewriter.
It costs about 50 per cent. less wear-
ing points than most other typewriters.
So per cent. easier to write with than those
other complicated, intricate machines that
require "lumbersome"—technical knowl-
edge, practice and special skill to operate.
Thin machines, which cannot be adjusted
to suit special cases—such as it is im-
possible to write abstracts, insurance
policies, or odd-size documents, except you
buy expensive special attachments requir-
ing experts to operate.
You can adjust the OLIVER to any reason-
able space—you can write on any reasonable
size and thickness of paper, right up to the
very edge, without the aid of any expensive
attachments or special skill, and your work
will be neat, appearing, legible and clear.
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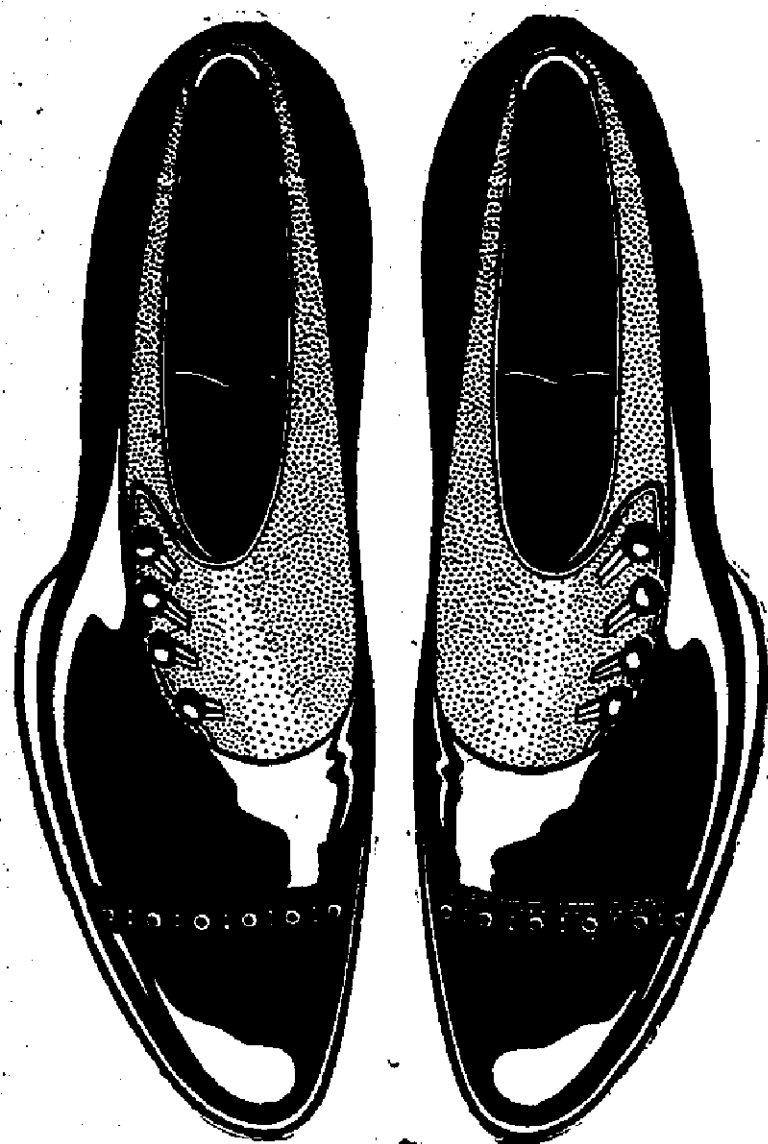
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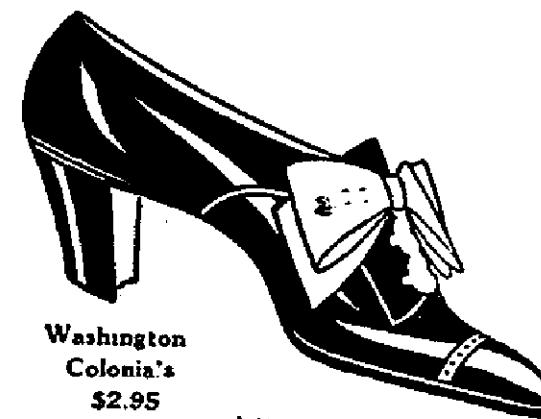
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HERE AND THERE

With a shock to all who knew him, and he had hosts of warm friends in this section, comes the news of the death of David J. James, one of Braddock's most popular and best known citizens.

Monongahela's old cemetery will be turned into a playground for children.

The business situation in the Connellsville region betrays unmistakable evidences of a slow but certain return to better condition. The coke production and the railroad movement, both chief barometers of Connellsville region business, are on the upward trend.

C. E. Graham, assistant to Claim Agent T. B. Donnelly of the West Penn Railways company, is convinced that Connellsville has the worst gang of robbers that he has ever heard of.

A ghost has been walking about South Canonsburg—not the kind of ghost that walks on pay days, but a ghost that refuses to give rest or peace to the occupants of a house near Elm street.

The notorious boat house at the foot of West street, Homestead, is no more. It all went up in smoke last night about 9:30 o'clock and there remains nothing of it but the hull and the hardware in its construction.

The return of the open street car is a sign of summer's arrival more dependable than any of the omens of the weather-wise oldest inhabitant, and for every-day agencies for the happiness of the people are more effective.

Burglars entered the home of Andrew Mough at Youngwood, Tuesday night and secured \$110 in money and made their escape without wakening either Mr. or Mrs. Mough.

The H. C. Frick Coke Company, it is said, in a few days will begin active work on its three big plants that are to be located in the Klondike coke field in the vicinity of New Salem, Merittstown and on Rush run near the Monongahela river, all in Fayette county.

Cocaine and cussedness got John Szeback a temporary job at the rock pile in Homestead.

Copeland crossing has claimed another victim, this time the life snuffed out being that of Mrs. C. P. McAuliff, an aged woman of North Braddock, who was struck by a fast west bound passenger train at 8:10 last night, as she was crossing the tracks on her way home.

The chorus girl, that necessary adjunct to life on Broadway, New York, known as the Great White way, has invaded Homestead.

"Full and Fighting" caused most of the criminal cases at Greensburg. Dirt and dope were the features figuring most largely in a cocaine raid at Homestead.

The county court affairs drag because of dilatory witnesses.

One Hit and One Run For Mill Town Boys

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CHARLEROI	R	H	P	A	E
Elliott, I.	2	2	4	0	0
Houser, S.	1	0	3	1	1
Cosgrove, J.	0	1	1	1	0
Dailey, C.	0	0	11	1	1
Nally, M.	0	1	0	0	0
Jenkins, R.	0	1	2	0	0
Heintz, I.	0	1	5	0	0
Urban, S.	0	1	1	1	0
Humphries, P.	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	4	8	27	4	2

SCOTSDALE	R	H	P	A	E
White, J.	0	0	5	0	0
Ferguson, S.	0	0	3	4	0
Floto, M.	1	0	2	1	0
Schmidt, I.	0	0	7	0	0
Hartman, R.	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, I.	0	0	1	1	0
Smith, S.	0	1	1	2	1
Slevin, C.	0	0	4	3	0
Roeper, P.	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	1	1	24	13	2

Charleroi.....1 0 2 0 0 1 0 *4
Scottdale.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1

Two-base hits—Elliott. Home-run—Elliott. Sacrifice hits—Houser, Cosgrove, Dailey, Heinz, Schmidt. Double plays—Floto and Ferguson, Martin and Slevin. Struck out—

by Humphries S, by Roeper 2. Base on balls—off Humphries, off Roeper 5. Passed balls—Slevin. Umpire—Gibbs.

Heinz looks the goods on first. Are we ever going to lose another? Wasn't Elliott's homer a hummer? The first ball pitched to Elliott was hit for two.

Schmidt aided by Dailey bunted for three bases.

Jimmie Ferguson chopped the gentle breeze three times.

Dailey is the same old boy. Working all the time.

Tough luck. Humphries should have had a shut out.

In the eighth Houser sent two to the stable on foul flies.

Old timer Capt. Cosgrove holds the youngsters level at all times.

That running catch of Elliott's in the eighth wasn't so bad.

Oh! wait until we get a crack at that Uniontown bunch.

Henry Sheets is the happiest man in the Monongahela Valley.

"Pic" Nally is still playing a great game of short in middle.

Urban got but one hit yesterday.

That's strange he usually has two.

Gibbs has improved wonderfully.

His work yesterday was very good.

Slevin's receiving is very nice.

He pegs them down to second like a shot.

We didn't like to treat our old friend Poeper that way but we had to do it.

When Schmidt, Hartman and Ferguson can't negotiate for a safe one the pitching must be there some.

Five hits for Scottdale in three games. But that's not so bad considering the pitchers they were up against.

Willis Humphries is going to pitch for Scottdale Saturday. Extra seating capacity will have to be made for the California crowd.

Heinz ran so fast in Wednesday's game it blew the shingles off his roof and his head resembles a fly skating rink.

Smith got excited and hit a wild pitch and it was lucky at that.

Uniontown has forgotten which way the ladder runs and if they don't take a brace will be in the cellar before we get at them.

The Scottdale Baseball association has received word from Secretary Farrell that Bail, now with New Castle and Washer, now with Ottumwa, have been notified to turn.

Are Reported

Prizes Given by Local Merchants For Winners

(Continued from first page)
further that the exorbitant cost of living at present is on a fictitious basis, and will decrease before the present business conditions obtaining their standing of a year ago, we are of the opinion that in all fairness some modification should be made in the demands of both sides.

We therefore split the difference of contention into one-half and fix the rate of reduction at one-half cent per hour. This to control from May 9, 1908, to April 20, 1909.

M. K. McMullin.
J. J. Miller,
Arbitrators.

Pittsburg, May 14, 1908.

After the paper had been signed Patrick McGrath, secretary of the Amalgamated association of Street Railway Employees, said:

We will abide by the decision of the board of arbitrators, although we are not satisfied with the reduction of 1-2 cent per hour. We think that conditions do not warrant this reduction. The company has argued continually from the standpoint of a reduction, instead of showing that it could not pay an advance, or at least pay as much as the men have been receiving.

Although it is said that the company, too, is dissatisfied with the decision, it is felt that all danger of fruitful disagreements or trouble have been removed.

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Orange, box of candy; D. R. Duval, penknife; George Wagner, box of candy; George Polites, box of candy. The judges have been chosen for the meet, the Charleroi committee for that part securing Mr. Roy Wilcock, a Western University of Pennsylvania man. Others will be Rev. H. O. MacDonald, of Mouessen, a former Grove City man and Hon. Frank Craven of California.

A number of persons from Charleroi have signified their intention of attending the meet.

At a Glance.

A round-up of corner ornaments is being made at Uniontown, and a stiff fine inflicted.

Joseph Moss a teacher of West Alexander, and J. Newton Sprowls, principal of Carroll township schools are attending Grove City college for the spring and summer terms.

The Notes complains that lads in Canonsburg with ages ranging from 17 to 20 years secure liquor there and get drunk.

Fish prevaricators are gleeful over having it judicially stated that fish do shrink. The "Cheerful liar" makes a hit every time.

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Additional Appropriation

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\$20,000 to purchase a suitable site, while the remainder would be used for the erection and fitting up of the building. A larger amount might possibly be secured if the citizens of Charleroi desired and would wait long enough, but it is hardly probable that another sum will be asked. R. H. Rush is the chairman of the Charleroi committee which has been at the back of the matter.

FARMERS FIGHT PENNSYLVANIA ROAD

Washington, Pa., May 14.—The Supervisors of East Bethlehem township have started mandamus proceedings against the Pennsylvania, Monongahela and Southern Railroad company, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania, to test the extent of the company's authority to appropriate public highways to its own use without making proper provision for the general traveling public.
The Supervisors allege the railroad company has appropriated long stretches of public roads without providing a convenient or passable road in its stead. The railroad company operates a road from Brownsville up the Monongahela River to Rices Landing.

PERSONAL MENTION

E. J. Moore of Connellsville was transacting business in Charleroi yesterday.

W. C. Gartley of Fredericktown was calling on friends and transacting business in Charleroi yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Hazlett is in Pittsburgh today to undergo an operation for a tumor at the Mercy hospital.

Dunlevy.

Dunlevy, Pa., May 15.—Mrs. Ann Jones, one of Allenport's venerable and respected residents, Mrs. Hazlett Eaton of the same place, and Mrs. William Jamison of Fayette City spent Thursday very pleasantly at the home of Matt. Lynn at Dunlevy.

Elizabeth and Thomas Lynn, children of Matt. Lynn of Dunlevy, are at present visiting their grand father, Thomas Eaton at Pricedale.

On Saturday evening at Vesta, "Pete" Hawwood's Junior baseball team, quite an invincible aggregation considering the youth of its members, will hold a supper and social. On Monday evening the ladies of the Vesta church will do the same. Both of these events will take place in the basement of the United Brethren church at Vesta.

Wednesday brought a birthday anniversary to two residents of Dunlevy. There was Mathew Lynn, the postmaster and the active proprietor of Lynn Brother's grocery. He reached the age of 38. Mr. Lynn didn't have time to celebrate and his 38th birthday anniversary passed inevitably.

With Miss Francis Colvin, daughter of Andrew Colvin, it was different. She reached the age of 15, and her numerous young friends refused to let the day pass without a celebration. So twelve of them assembled at her home in the evening and enjoyed the time until midnight with fun and feasting.

The Dunlevy schools closed last Monday with a program of literary exercises.

Just as the Dunlevy young men are without doubt the champions of the valley at association foot ball, as they fully proved last year, so the Vesta boys claim to be the champion at base ball this year, and have thus far vanquished all the teams not connected with the league, which they have met. On Saturday they expect a strong team from Monongahela to visit them and the game will be an interesting one.

Lover

Lover, Pa. May 14.—Mr. and Mrs. King Winnett and baby spent Sunday with Mrs. Winnett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hopewell.

Miss Stella Carson of the California Normal spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Charles Scott and family and Mrs. Walter Pryor spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Allman.

Little Miss Margaret Hyatt visited Miss Leota Crow Tuesday.

Charles and Walter Hennen near Coal Centre were callers at the home of their uncle, John Hennen, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Sanders who has been staying with her father, Jacob Sphar, of Garwood, who is very ill, returned to her home at Monongahela Sunday.

Perry Morris of the California Normal, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Morris.

Miss Alice Harrison near Roger's schoolhouse is visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Miss Elsie Reed visited Miss Ethel McCracken Sunday.

Miss Ethel Greenlee and brother, of Bentleyville, spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, Joe Carson.

Mrs. Mary Chalfant who has been very ill is slightly improved.

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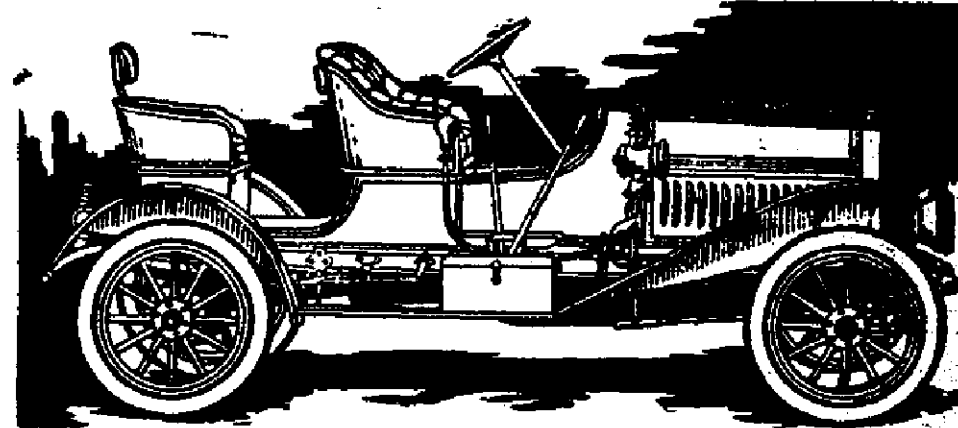
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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1908

One Cent

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF \$25,000 FOR CHARLEROI

Chairman Bartholdt Gives Out Amount For Different Cities.

WILL NOW HAVE \$75,000

Suitable Local Site Will Take Over a Fourth Of money.

Charleroi received an additional appropriation of \$25,000 for the government building, the amount being announced immediately after the passage of the currency bill by the U. S. Congress yesterday, by Chairman Bartholdt of the Committee on Public Building and Grounds. He reported the omnibus public building bill carrying allowances for constructions and sites amounting to \$27,000,000. The plan of the House leaders was to pass the bill with the separate items today after only a nominal amount of debate.

At the former appropriation Charleroi secured the sum of \$50,000, although the sought for amount was \$125,000. This was not enough to buy a site and erect a building, so another appropriation of \$50,000 was asked for with the above given result. Senator P. C. Knox presented the latter bill to Congress and worked hard for its passage.

The \$25,000 added appropriation will make the present amount \$75,000. Of this it would take perhaps

Coming Next Week.

"Something out of the ordinary" is a remark that can properly be made of the Carl Hagebeck and Great Wallace Shows Combined, which will exhibit in Charleroi, Thursday May 21.

It has a reputation for producing remarkable surprises in its circus arena until the public has learned that it can produce an exhibition of the Hagenbeck and Great Wallace Circus expecting to see something new and different.

There is an unusual number of features with the Wallace Show this season. It is difficult to pick the best. Some will like the trained wild beasts' exhibition or Horse wonders. Others will prefer Les Rowlands, Eusiel Troupe, the Sylvester Sisters, the three Correllis, the Delno Troupe, while some will spend most of the time laughing at the host of clowns. Listening to Merrick's famous band, join the races, admiring the animals or petting the beautiful horses. No matter which way one looks while under any one of the Hagenbeck and Wallace tents, he is sure to see something out of the ordinary.

More Coal Developments.

That the development of the Greene county coal in the section of Charleroi will begin soon is made evident by the contract let for a branch road to S. M. Green, extending from the mouth of Ten Mile creek to a point near the Bessemer coal works on the opposite side of the river. The Pittsburgh-Buffalo company owns a large acreage in that section and it is said this branch line section is being pushed by it in order to develop its holdings. The road will connect with the P. V. and C. railroad which recently completed its extension to Millsboro.

MEETINGS GROW MORE AND MORE INTERESTING

The meetings at St. Jerome's church are nightly growing more and more interesting. There have been twenty-three converts, who will be baptized Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock by Father Quinn. On Sunday afternoon Bishop Canavin will administer the sacrament of confirmation to a class of three hundred and fifty children and adults.

Father Quinn spoke last night on "The Bible as a Rule of Faith." He said a rule of faith is necessary because it is impossible to please God. "Without faith it is impossible to please God," says St. Paul. And our Blessed Savior says: "He that believeth not shall be condemned." Hence it is necessary that God, who will have all men to be saved, and to come to a knowledge of the truth, should provide for all men an easy way of knowing the objects of their faith, i. e. the truths which He has revealed. This is what is understood by a rule of faith. Evidently this rule should possess certain qualities.

The lecturer took up the Non-Catholic rule, namely "The Bible alone interpreted by each individual for himself," and showed that it is not wanting in one or two of these characteristics but in all of them. Father Curtin will speak Saturday evening, and Father Quinn Sunday evening on important topics.

SOCIAL EVENTS INTERESTING TO LOCAL PEOPLE

A pleasant surprise was tendered Robert McGowan at his home in North Charleroi, last night by a number of his fellow students at Donagias Business college and friends from High school. The evening was spent in a social way, games and music being the diversions. Light refreshments were served.

The affair was carefully planned by the committee in charge. They fully completed the arrangements and in the evening sent for him to come to Charleroi, which he did. In the meantime the guests gathered at his home and upon the young man's return greeted him with a cry of "surprise." But for a moment overwhelmed, Mr. McGowan rallied and provided entertainment for his guests throughout the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William McMahon were hosts last evening to a merry party of twenty-five, mostly Monessenites, who enjoyed games and the old fashioned dance and last but not least a most delightful lunch.

Extra Meeting.

An extra meeting of the Washington County Medical society has been called for Tuesday afternoon, May 19, at 1 o'clock. It is likely that several Charleroi physicians will attend.

ALLEGED HORSE THIEF APPEARS BEFORE JUSTICE

Young Fellow Who Is accused Of Stealing Animal Waves Hearing.

RICHARDSON RETURNS

W. R. Rider, of Union township, who is charged with stealing of a horse from the stables of I. B. Richardson, of Bentleyville, was brought before Justice of the Peace E. N. Dunlap at Washington yesterday and waived a hearing for court. Immediately after he waived the hearing he was arrested for carrying concealed weapons and impersonating an officer. When he was arrested Monday he had on his person a revolver and a detective's badge.

Justice Dunlap placed the bail at \$500 and turned the matter over to the district attorney. Rider's father and a number of friends were in Washington yesterday and were arranging to have the boy released on bail.

Mr. Richardson returned from near Steubenville at 4 o'clock yesterday morning with the horse, which had been stolen. It was with much difficulty that the animal was secured, as the persons in whose possession it was had planned things well to receive a reward from Mr. Richardson. Harry Swearing had the animal in his possession, but upon word from Pittsburgh to return the horse as it was stolen property, had taken it several miles in the country to his farm.

After some delay Mr. Swearing stated that he could find the horse for \$25. Mr. Richardson at once tendered him a check and the horse was then produced. Payment was stopped on the check after the horse had been received.

The private prosecutor against Rider was W. R. Riggie of Charleroi.

GIVE PERFORMANCE AT DONORA

John Jenkins' Juvenile Minstrels gave a performance at the Star Theatre, Donora, Wednesday night, which took well. The program was almost the same in the first part as that given in Charleroi in April. The olio was different including acts by John Jenkins, Little Bennie Jones, Longdon, Jenkins and Longdon and the cake walk by the company.

The end boys were Mack Jameson, Cardon Jameson, Frank Ailes, Frank Michener, Fred Schenpp and Paul Nutt. The chorus was John Gaut, Duncan Berryman, Ira Ransom, Bennie Jones, Don Michener, Albert Schoener, Charles Conway, Ralph Richards, Ben Roberts and Earl Ransom.

Two Injured by Wire.

Joe Shutis, aged 42, a Slav, and John Kovick, aged 40, a Slav, and married, were taken to the Memorial hospital last night suffering from injuries sustained by being hit by a wire in the wire department of the American Steel and Wire plant at Donora.

FOUND GUILTY OF BREAKING INTO A P. R. R. CAR

Daniel Gould charged with breaking into a railroad car at Monongahela on April 23 faced the jury yesterday at Washington. The car contained supplies for the West Penn Electric company. The court appointed John W. McDowell as counsel for Gould. Policeman Bergman was the main witness for the prosecution. He testified that he heard a noise seemingly coming from the box car and on investigation discovered a man climbing into the car. He positively identified as Gould. He placed him under arrest and was walking up the track with him when a third party threw a glass insulator at the officer, striking him on the breast and knocking him to the ground. Gould took the stand in his own behalf and

ONE HIT AND ONE RUN FOR MILL TOWN BOYS

Humphries Invincible and Should Have Had a Shutout.

ERROR GAVE THE RUN

It seemed like a shame to treat the Scottsdale boys so rudely but the locals just couldn't help taking yesterday's contest in such easy fashion. They had made no previous request for the game but when it developed that their opponents refused to hit there was nothing else to do. The cause of the Mill town boys defeat is blamed on one Mr. Humphries who did the twirling for Charleroi. He took charge of the game in the very beginning and kept it hid at all times. But on hit was handed out and that was drawn by Smith in the seventh inning. Drawn is the correct definition for Smith had no idea of getting it, reaching a foot over the plate and hitting a wild pitch. One run was handed the Scottsdale boys, the first they have seen in three days, and it was all wrapped up in silk and well perfumed. Floto looked them over in the fourth for a free walk. Red Schmidt was willing to sacrifice his life in order to advance Floto but Daily didn't see it that way and when "Red" laid one down he threw to the right field fence, and Floto went all the way round.

Charleroi's first mark was in the first round and came pretty easy on a two base drive, an infield out, and an error. In the third a home run, a base on balls, a sacrifice and single counted twice. We were given one in the fifth when Humphries singled. Elliott walked, Houser sacrificed and Cosgrove and Dailey drew passes forcing Humphries over. Score:

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EDITOR SUICIDES; ILL-HEALTH CAUSE

Uniontown, Pa., May 14.—O. J. Sturgis, aged 55 years, died at 8:15 o'clock this morning at his home here from self-inflicted injuries.

He had been suffering from ill health for the past year or two and recently returned from a prolonged visit to Mt. Clemens, Mich. As he failed to recuperate, he became exceedingly despondent. For the past few weeks he had done but little work. This morning he arose at the usual hour, took his daily walk and returned to his home. When the report of the discharge of the revolver was heard and when a physician was summoned, Mr. Sturgis was found bleeding to death.

Sturgis was one of the oldest newspaper men in this district and was editor of the News-Standard. For 25 years he had been active as a reporter and editor and was one of the best known newspaper men in this part of the state. He was a member of the Baptist church here. Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Harold, and a daughter, Edith.

PRIZES GIVEN BY LOCAL MERCHANTS FOR WINNERS

Sailed for Europe.

James Matthews, of 240 Prospect Place, New York, sailed Wednesday on the Steamer Tuetonic for Paris, for a vacation trip abroad. He was tendered a delightful surprise party Monday evening by a large number of friends, at which he was presented with several tokens of esteem. He is at present credit manager of the National City Bank of New York.

Mr. Matthews is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Matthews, of Ninth street, Charleroi. He was formerly a valley newspaper man, having made many friends while in business in this section, who wish him a pleasant trip abroad. Among the features for Mr. Matthews at the party in his honor was a song and chorus composed by Fred V. Court, being dedicated to the popular banker.

Deeds Left for Record.

April 6, 1908—Marie Cherris, Chasesteur, Charleroi, to Amand Collignon et ux., same place, lot in Meadow avenue, Charleroi; consideration, \$1,700.

April 6, 1908—Amand Collignon et ux., Charleroi, to Maria Therese Chasesteur, same place, lot in Shady avenue, Charleroi; consideration, \$1,100.

Order Fives and Dimes.

The Y. M. C. A. five and dime band have closed an order with C. C. Crill for six drums and eight fifes. They expect them to arrive within the next ten days, and the boys expect to be able to make their first time out on Decoration day.

The Boys brigade have ordered their new uniforms.

Julius Robinson, of Wireton, will do the state service for carrying a cannon concealed in his clothing.

FINDINGS OF ARBITRATORS ARE REPORTED

Difference between the Pittsburgh Railways company and its motormen and conductors have been settled by the Board of Arbitration by a compromise, although neither side is thoroughly satisfied. The board got around the difficulty of a reduction of 1 cent an hour by agreeing upon a split and making it half a cent an hour.

The representative of the street carmen, Calvin Wyatt, would not join in the decision, but Judge Miller and the company's representative, M. K. McMullin, signed the articles of adjustment, which read:

To the Officers of the Pittsburgh Railways company and the Committee of the Pittsburgh Railways company of Conductors' and Motormen's association.

Gentlemen—The majority of arbitrators, after a careful consideration of all the evidence, having especially in view the fact that in the last five months there has been a deficit of \$292,549 in car fares, compared with the five months of the year previous; the wages of conductors and motormen were raised two cents per hour one year ago, based on the prosperous condition then existing; that the reduction in the number of cars in present operation, and consequent decrease in the amount of wages paid, does not decrease the expenses of operation in proportion to the deficit; believing

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Quite a Number of Beautiful Things For Boys In Field Meet.

DISPLAYED AT MONESSEN

In Pharmacy Window— Good Judges Are Chosen.

For the individual winners of the different events in the field meet Saturday afternoon the Merchants and business men of the different towns have contributed prizes. The four leaders in each contest will receive prizes, the first getting the best given for the certain event of which he is winner, second one of less value, and so on down to the fourth boy. There are to be four contests, one from each school in a race, thus making sixteen in all. For the 160 yard dash, a ten dollar picture has been given by a Monessen firm. Donora banks have each given \$5 in gold.

The list of the prizes from Charleroi Merchants follow:

J. W. Berryman and Son, an umbrella, Adolph Beigel, pair of baseball shoes; J. B. Schafer, the pen; C. W. Wehner, fountain pen; L. Collins, suitcase; L. Beigel, slippers; G. S. Migat, ball glove; H. F. Hennings, fountain pen; Greenberg Bros, hat; J. W. McKean, cash links; W. A. Backhold, pocket flash light; The Stag, necktie; H. B. (Continued on page three.)

SIX CONVERTS AT M. E. CHURCH LAST NIGHT

The meetings at the M. E. church last night was a stirring one, there being six converts. So great was the interest, that at the close, an extra meeting was held, at which many signified their desire to lead a Christian life. Evangelist Willis preached one of his stirring sermons on the topic, "To the Uttermost" his text being from Heb. 7:25. "Wherefore also he is able to save to the uttermost them that draw near to God through him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them."

The sermons of Mr. Willis are not stereotyped in any sense of the word but are interesting as popular lectures, and more entertaining than the average lecturer. He started out by saying "The text is the gospel in nutshell, the gospel boiled down, it is the gospel in extract, the gospel in its sweetest essence." He lined up his text with John 3:16 and stated that is enough gospel in it to save the world. After giving an interesting exegesis and an outline of his text, he enlarged in a very interesting manner upon the ability of Jesus Christ to save a lost world, the extent of the salvation he offers, and provided even unto the uttermost for these and those only who come and are saved through Him. He spoke of Christ not only as a present, corporeal intercessor for all who come to themselves to his kindly care.

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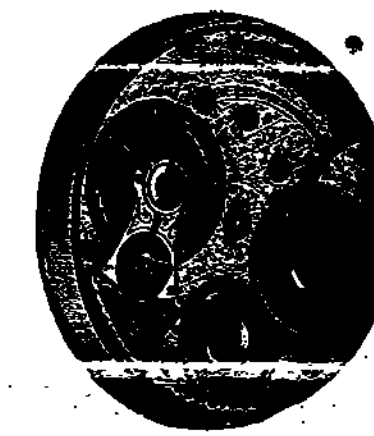
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May 15 in History.

1773—Alban Butler, author of the "Lives of the Saints," died.
1833—Edmund Keas, the great English tragedian, died, born 1757.
1847—Daniel O'Connell, Irish orator and patriot, died, born 1775. O'Connell, although familiarly called "the Liberator," O'Connell had no sympathy with the revolutionary spirit of his times. He once declared that he would "accept of no social amelioration at the cost of a single drop of blood."
1895—Edmond Remenyi, noted Hungarian violinist, died, born 1830.
1902—Dr. William Tod Helmuth, noted American surgeon and homeopathist died, born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:04, rises 4:39, moon rises 8:38 p. m., 11:24 p. m., full moon, 8:30 p. m. Jupiter's four satellites closely grouped, two on each side of the planet.

Still Snaring Suckers.

"Several persons representing themselves to be photographers for Pittsburgh papers are in town taking pictures. It is not known what the game is but there must be something in the woodpile. They are not what they pretend to be and their evidence enough that they are not straight business men and are swindlers."
—Monongahela Republican

It is scarcely probable that Monongahela has one or more photographers within its borders each of whom is a good citizen, a taxpayer and a far better artist than those perambulators. The money paid to them for work is spent among local merchants. The same is true of Charleroi.

Yet, if a con man or any other kind of an impostor announces himself as hailing from some large city and reels off a spasm of language about a self-evident swindle people fall over themselves to secure the bargains.

Then when it dawns upon them a shriek goes up that darts the dome of heaven, and causes a debacle to the "Squire for redress which, like the feller, never comes.

"Patronize home people and you will never be swindled," should be a motto that be should upon the wall.

Why Unsuccessful.

For full forty years the people of Pennsylvania and of New York city have had rehearsed to them each day a story about the "criminals" and "rascals" whom they had chosen to serve them in official life.

In Pennsylvania Cameronism—Quakerism and now Pearseism each in turn has been pilloried as "the sum of all villainies." In New York city—Hall-Kem, Kellyism, Crokerism and now Murphyism has each in their day been pictured as representing civic drabdom. In spite of tidal wave after tidal wave of furious denunciation by pundits and polemic each was and is almost invincible and their success never even seriously questioned, and why?

Simply because of the methods employed. Plain, sensible people when

reading these terrific denunciations were inexpressibly shocked, then inquiry and investigation proved them almost invariably as false and having been invented by political rivals whose yearning for the flesh-pots was so great as to destroy self-restraint. Disgust and anger followed, as natural consequences.

When the authors of these attacks were disappointed at their lack of success they turned upon the people. The people of a whole State were sometimes pictured as hopelessly ignorant or benighted; at others as a sordid, sordid besotted band of bribe-takers. A favorite pose in which they were and are limned is that of a peon or helot, trembling, shrinking, cowering before a political Simon Legree demanding their birthright or the curfew of a black snake would follow.

It was but natural for the people to resent this. And they have resented it and will always resent it.

That the people of this State are paings of defamation and denunciation have left the Democracy in Pennsylvania a hopeless minority and the Republican party in New York city in a similar situation.

As the Brabant either can learn nor forget it were folly to suppose that this State would permit of the same old and new methods.

An Astounding Statement.

A United States Senator by the name of grand larceny of land, Senator Heyburn in opposing an appropriation for forest preservation uttered the singular statement that there is as much timber now as there ever was. Carping critics might be peevish enough to say that judging from the samples sent to the Senate from that State senatorial timber chiefly consists of sage brush and scrub pine.

His statement will evoke derisive comment from even the middle aged in Pennsylvania who easily recollect the vast pure forests which graced and furnished our mountains.

It is sometimes alleged that a man is a fool in extenuation for his acts as a knave and such a defense could easily and effectively be used for Heyburn.

To Our Readers.

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But are you licker to the lure of the tag they call look over what our own merchants are offering and you will be as well advised as for what prices and quality they offer. Hills look green far away but a closer view oft is disappointing. Bargains in big cities sometimes exhibit the same characteristics from which there is no redress. While our local merchants are always ready willing and anxious to rectify any mistake a thing in itself forming a big point in their favor.

Obituary.

Mr. O. J. Sturgis for many years editor of the Uniontown Standard committed suicide while laboring under a temporary aberration of mind caused by prolonged illness yesterday.

He was not only an able man he was more—a good man and a just man. He had the judicial temperament to a marked degree and a candid spirit of truth was a distinguishing trait of his writings.

As he has passed away let us forget his untimely end in contemplating his many noble qualities as a man.

Charleroi Gets a Little.

The press dispatches this morning indicate that Charleroi will receive \$25,000 of the \$60,000 needed to erect a federal building. Like Mercutio's wound, "it is not as deep as a well nor as wide as barn door," but it will have to do for the present.

If work could be begun on the building now it would greatly help the business situation but it is not thought probable that the government will order the work started until the full appropriation is secured.

Miss Grace Stewart of Fayette City has resigned as night operator for the Charleroi Telephone Co. Miss Sadie Hopkins has accepted the position.

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Yesterday's Results.
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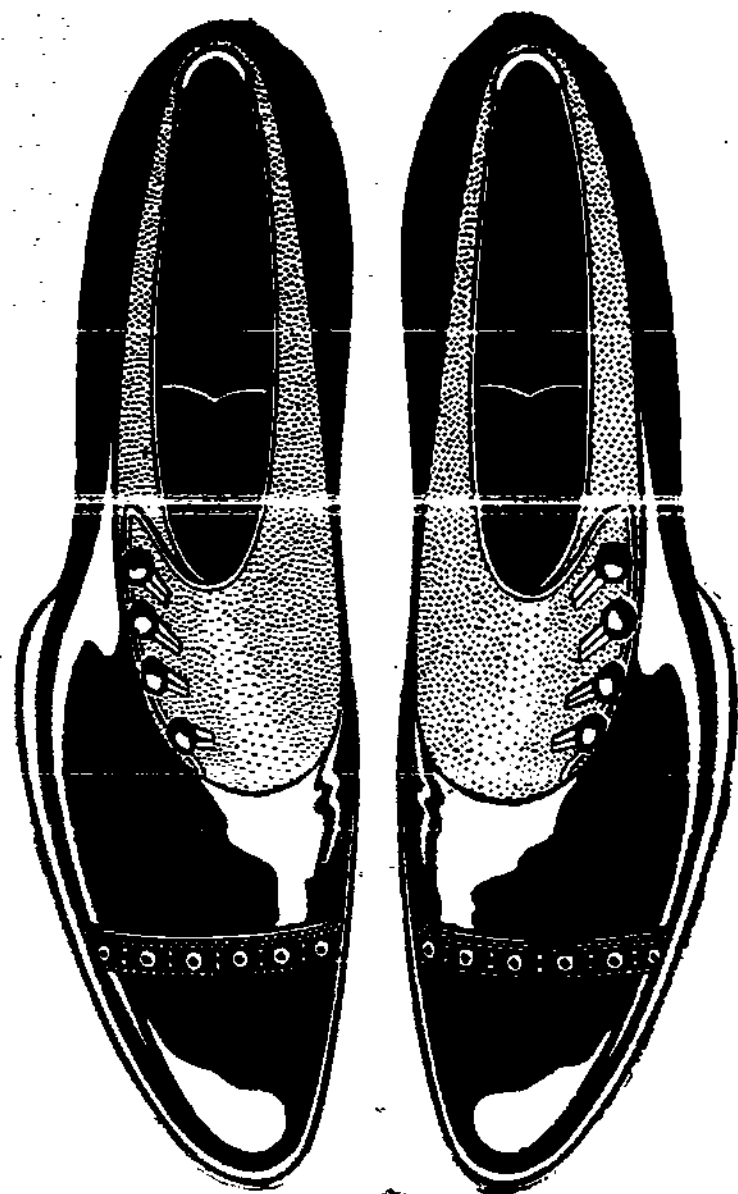
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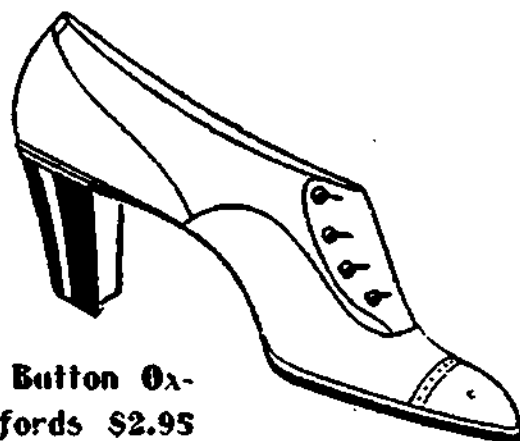
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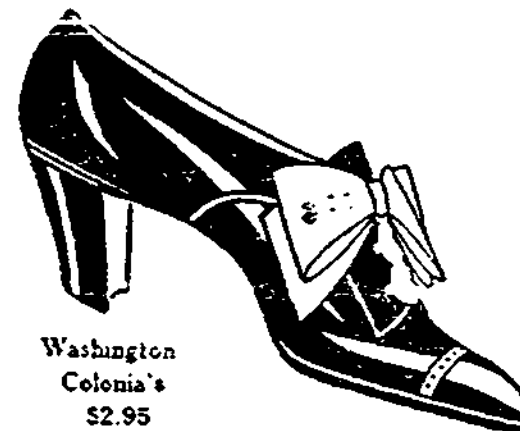
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Finding Of Arbitrators

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(Continued from first page) further that the arbitrator's finding at present is on a fictitious basis, and will decrease before the present business conditions obtaining their standing of a year ago, we are of the opinion that in all fairness some modification should be made in the demands of both sides.

We therefore split the difference of contention into one-half and fix the rate of reduction at one-half cent per hour. This to control from May 9, 1908, to April 20, 1909.

M. K. McMullin, J. J. Miller, Arbitrators.

Pittsburg, May 14, 1908.

After the paper had been signed Patrick McGrath, secretary of the Amalgamated association of Street Railway Employees, said:

We will abide by the decision of the board of arbitrators, although we are not satisfied with the reduction of 1-2 cent per hour. We think that conditions do not warrant this reduction. We are not going to be continually from the standpoint of a reduction, instead of showing that it could not pay an advance, or at least pay as much as the men have been receiving.

Although it is said that the company, too, is dissatisfied with the decision, it is felt that all danger of fruitless disagreements or trouble have been removed.

Prizes Given by

Local Merchants For Winners

(Continued from page one)

Orange, box of candy; D. R. Duvall, penknife; George Wagner, box of candy; George Polites, box of candy.

The judges have been chosen for the meet, the Charleroi committee for that part securing Mr. Roy Wilcock, a Western University of Pennsylvania man. Others will be Rev. H. O. MacDonald, of Monessen, a former Grove City man and Hon. Frank Craven of California.

A number of persons from Charleroi have signified their intention of attending the meet.

At a Glance.

A round-up of corner ornaments is being made at Uniontown, and a still fine indicted.

Joseph Moss a teacher of West Alexander, and J. Newton Sprowls, principal of Carroll township schools, are attending the meet.

The Notes complains that lads in Canonsburg with ages ranging from 17 to 20 years secure liquor there and get drunk.

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HERE AND THERE

With a shock to all who knew him, and he had hosts of warm friends in this section, comes the news of the death of David J. James, one of Bradnock's most popular and best known citizens.

Monongahela's old cemetery will be turned into a playground for children.

The business situation in the Connellsville region betrays unmistakable evidences of a slow but certain return to better condition. The coke production and the railroad movement, both chief barometers of Connellsville region business, are on the upward trend.

C. E. Graham, assistant to Claim Agent T. B. Donnelly of the West Penn Railways company, is convinced that Connellsville has the worst gang of robbers that he has ever heard of.

A ghost has been walking about South Canonsburg—not the kind of ghost that walks on pay days, but a ghost that refuses to give rest or peace to the occupants of a house near Elm street.

The notorious boat house at the foot of West street, Homestead, is no more. It all went up in smoke last night about 9:30 o'clock and there remains nothing of it but the hull and the hardware in its construction.

The return of the open street car is a sign of summer's arrival more de-

pendable than any of the omens of the weather-wise, albeit inhabitant, and for every-day agencies for the happiness of the people are more effective.

Burglars entered the home of Andrew Mough at Youngwood, Tuesday night and secured \$110 in money and made their escape without wakening either Mr. or Mrs. Mough.

The H. C. Frick Coke Company, it is said, in a few days will begin active work on its three big plants that are to be located in the Klondyke coke field in the vicinity of New Salem, Morristown and on Rosh run near the Monongahela river, all in Fayette county.

Cocaine and cussedness got John Szaback a temporary job at the rock pile in Homestead.

Copeland crossing has claimed another victim, this time the life snuffed out being that of Mrs. C. P. McAuliff, an aged woman of North Bradnock, who was struck by a fast west-bound passenger train at 8:10 last night, as she was crossing the tracks on her way home.

The chorus girl, that necessary adjunct to life on Broadway, New York, known as the Great White way, has invaded Homestead.

"Full and Fighting" caused most of the criminal cases at Greensburg. Dirt and dope were the features figuring most largely in a cocaine raid at Homestead.

The county court affairs drag because of dilatory witnesses.

One Hit and One Run For Mill Town Boys

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CHARLEROI	R	H	P	A	E
Elliott, 1.....	2	2	4	0	0
Houser, 2.....	1	0	3	1	1
Cosgrove, 2.....	0	1	1	1	0
Dailey, 1.....	0	0	11	1	1
Nally, 1.....	0	1	0	0	0
Jenkins, 1.....	0	1	2	0	0
Beintz, 1.....	0	1	5	0	0
Urban, 1.....	0	1	1	1	0
Humphries, 1.....	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	4	8	27	4	2

SCOTSDALE	R	H	P	A	E
White, 2.....	0	0	5	0	0
Ferguson, 1.....	0	0	3	4	0
Floto, 1.....	0	2	1	0	0
Schmidt, 1.....	0	0	7	0	0
Hartman, 1.....	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, 1.....	0	0	1	1	0
Smith, 3.....	0	1	1	2	1
Sievin, 1.....	0	0	4	0	0
Roeper, 1.....	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	1	1	24	13	2

Charleroi.....	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	4
Scottdale.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1

Two-base hits—Elliott. Home-run—Elliott. Sacrifice hits—Houser, Cosgrove, Dailey, Heinz, Schmidt. Double plays—Floto and Ferguson, Martin and Sievin. Struck out—

by Humphries 5, by Roeper 2. Base on balls—off Humphries, off Roeper 5. Passed balls—Slevin. Umpire—Gibbs.

Heinz looks the goods on first. Are we ever going to lose another? Wasn't Elliott's homer a hummer? The first ball pitched to Elliott was hit for two.

Schmidt aided by Dailey bunted for three bases.

Jimmie Ferguson chopped the gentle breeze three times.

Dailey is the same old boy. Working all the time.

Tough luck. Humphries should have had a shut out.

In the eighth Houser sent two to the stable on foul flies.

Old timer Capt. Cosgrove holds the youngsters level at all times.

That running catch of Elliott's in the eighth wasn't so bad.

Oh! wait until we get a crack at that Uniontown bunch.

Henry Sheets is the happiest man in the Monongahela Valley.

"Pic" Nally is still playing a great game of short in middle.

Urban got but one hit yesterday.

That's strange he usually has two.

Gibbs has improved wonderfully.

His work yesterday was very good.

Slevin's receiving is very nice.

He pegs them down to second like a shot.

We didn't like to treat our old friend Poeper that way but we had to do it.

When Schmidt, Hartman and Ferguson can't negotiate for a safe one the pitching must be there some.

Five hits for Scottdale in three games. But that's not so bad considering the pitchers they were up against.

Willis Humphries is going to pitch for Scottdale Saturday. Extra seating capacity will have to be made for the California crowd.

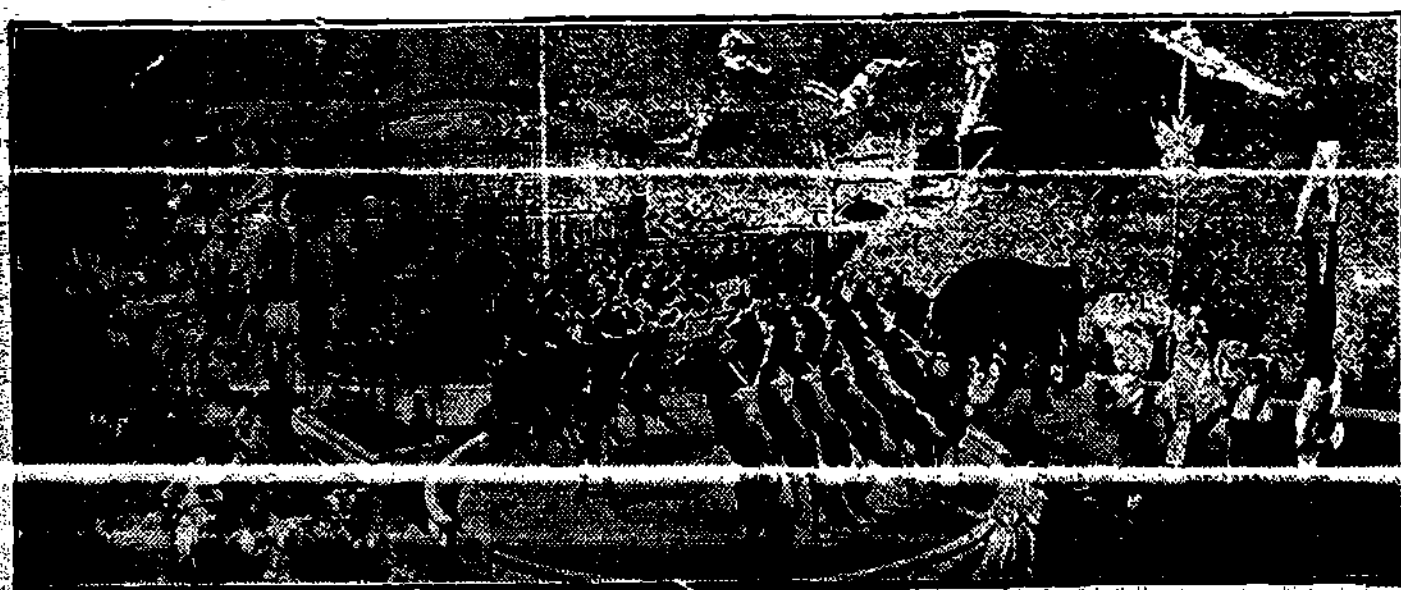
Heinz ran so fast in Wednesday's game it blew the shingles off his roof and his head resembles a fly skating rink.

Smith got excited and hit a wild pitch and it was lucky at that.

Uniontown has forgotten which way the ladder runs and if they don't take a brace will be in the cellar before the next game.

The Scottdale-Baseball association has received word from Secretary Farrell that Ball, now with New Castle and Washer, now with Ottumwa, have been notified to return.

Scene at the Hagenbeck & Wallace Circus



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Additional Appropriation

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\$20,000 to purchase a suitable site, while the remainder would be used for the erection and fitting up of the building. A larger amount might possibly be secured if the citizens of Charleroi desired and would wait long enough, but it is hardly probable that another sum will be asked. R. H. Rush is the chairman of the Charleroi committee which has been at the back of the matter.

FARMERS FIGHT PENNSYLVANIA ROAD

Washington, Pa., May 14.—The Supervisors of East Bethlehem township have started mandamus proceedings against the Pennsylvania, Monongahela and Southern Railroad company, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania, to test the extent of the company's authority to appropriate public highways to its own use without making proper provision for the general traveling public.

The Supervisors allege the railroad company has appropriated long stretches of public roads without providing a convenient or passable road in its stead. The railroad company operates a road from Brownsville up the Monongahela River to Rices Landing.

PERSONAL MENTION

F. J. Moore of Connellsville was transacting business in Charleroi yesterday.

W. C. Gartley of Fredericktown was calling on friends and transacting business in Charleroi yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Hazlett is in Pittsburgh today to undergo an operation for a tumor at the Mercy hospital.

Dunlevy.

Dunlevy, Pa., May 15.—Mrs. Ann Jones, one of Allenport's venerable and respected residents, Mrs. Hazlett Eaton of the same place, and Mrs. William Jamison of Fayette City spent Thursday very pleasantly at the home of Matt. Lynn at Dunlevy.

Elizabeth and Thomas Lynn, children of Matt. Lynn of Dunlevy, are at present visiting their grand father, Thomas Eaton at Pricedale.

On Saturday evening at Vesta, "Pete" Hawwood's Junior baseball team, quite an invincible aggregation, will hold a supper and social. On Monday evening the ladies of the Vesta church will do the same. Both of these events will take place in the basement of the United Brethren church at Vesta.

Wednesday brought a birthday anniversary to two residents of Dunlevy. There was Mathew Lynn, the postmaster and the active proprietor of Lynn Brother's grocery. He reached the age of 35. Mr. Lynn didn't have time to celebrate and his 36th birthday anniversary passed inevitably.

With Miss Francis Colvin, daughter of Andrew Colvin, it was different. She reached the age of 15, and her numerous young friends refused to let the day pass without a celebration. So twelve of them assembled at her home in the evening and enjoyed the time until midnight with fun and feasting.

The Dunlevy schools closed last Monday with a program of literary exercises.

Just as the Dunlevy young men are without doubt the champions of the valley at association football, as they fully proved last year, so the Vesta boys claim to be the champion at baseball this year, and have thus far vanquished all the teams not connected with the league, which they have met. On Saturday they expect a strong team from Monongahela to visit them and the game will be an interesting one.

Lover

Lover, Pa. May 14.—Mr. and Mrs. King Winnett and baby spent Sunday with Mrs. Winnett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hopewell.

Miss Stella Carson of the California Normal spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Charles Scott and family and Mrs. Walter Fryor spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Allman.

Little Miss Margaret Hyatt visited Miss Leota Crow Tuesday.

Charles and Walter Hannon, Coal Centre were callers at the home of their uncle, John Hannon, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Sanders who has been staying with her father, Jacob Spar, of Garwood, who is very ill returned to her home at Monongahela Sunday.

Perry Morris of the California Normal, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Morris.

Miss Allie Harrison near Roger's schoolhouse is visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Miss Elsie Reed visited Miss Ethel McCracken Sunday.

Miss Ethel Greenlee and brother, of Bentleyville, spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, Joe Carson.

Miss Mary Chalfant who has been very ill is slightly improved.

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The children's Wash Dresses in percale and gingham are now one-half price:
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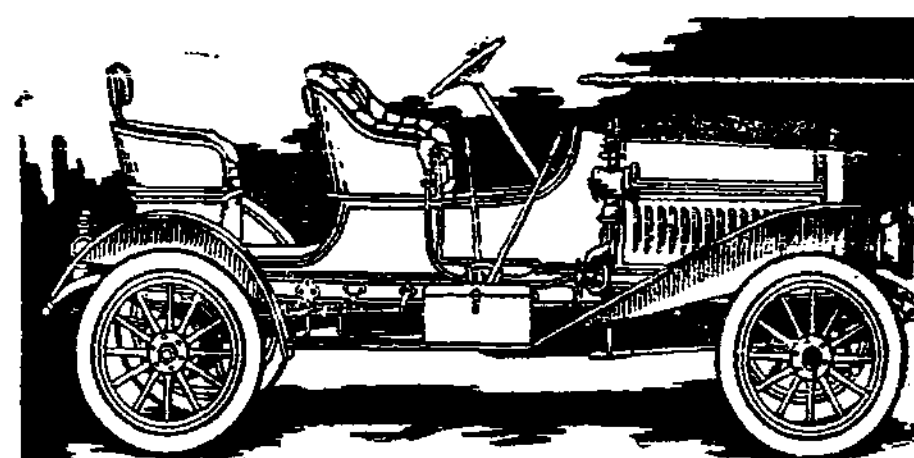
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